Report Date:
 9/14/2022

 Report Time:
 4:00 PM EDT

**Region II Hotline Log Entry Information** 

**Data ID:** 11781

**Date Of Report:** 4/15/2004 **NRC #:** 718919 **State #: ERNS #:** 123517

Material Type: Oil Receiver: GLENN

Material / Amount: OTHER OIL / 5100 GALLON(S)

Location: Street:

City: QUEENS
County: QUEENS
State: NY
Latitude:
Longitude:
CON EDISON

Source of Pollution: CON EDISON
Water Body: NEWTOWN CREEK

State Or EPA Responded: CG and RP
Initial EPA Action: Phone

Status: URL:

### Associated Action Reports

#### DataID: 0000944

Date: 4/19/2004	Time: 09:13	
Duty Officer/Responder Name:	NRC Report #: 718919	Hotline Log DataID: 11781

#### Action Information

Description: Spoke with Mike Doltry of Con Edisons ERT 212-580-8383. Originally, the dielectric fluid was missing between two substations. They had deployed crews from both stations moving towards each other and lifting manhole covers to find the material. They also deployed a boat into the Newtown Creek to monitor the water body. Telephoned Activities NY and Elizabeth Barefoot (718-354-4121) was mobilized to the scene. Further phone conversations determined that all 5100 gallons of material was released into the Newtown Creek. Con Edison contracted Clean Harbors for clean-up. Activities NY was going to collect samples of the water and material. A Command Post was established at Manhatten Ave and Ash Street in Brooklyn. No formal request made to EPA.

Follup-Up:

#### Person Contacted

Name: K. Glenn Organization: US EPA Region II Phone #: 732-321-4454

# NRC Spill Report

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER 1-800-424-8802

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Incident Report # 718919

#### INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

\*Report taken by: CIV LOTTIE JOHNSON at 13:26 on 15-APR-04

Incident Type: FIXED
Incident Cause: UNKNOWN
Affected Area: NEWTOWN CREEK

The incident occurred on 15-APR-04 at 13:20 local time.

Affected Medium: NON-RELEASE (N/A)

#### REPORTING PARTY

Name: KEVIN MCARDLE Organization: CON EDISON

Address: 128 WEST END AVENUE NEW YORK, NY 10023

CON EDISON called for the responsible party.

PRIMARY Phone: (212)5806763

# INCIDENT LOCATION

38-54 VERNON BLVD County: QUEENS

City: QUEENS State: NY

EITHER FEEDER 31231 OR FEEDER 31232 WHICH RUN BETWEEN VERNON SUBSTATION

RELEASED MATERIAL(S)

CHRIS Code: OTH Official Material Name: OTHER OIL

Also Known As: DIELECTRIC FLUID

Qty Released: 5100 GALLON(S) Qty in Water: 0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT

# DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

CALLER IS REPORTING A POSSIBLE RELEASE OF 5100 GALLONS DIELECTRIC FLUID FROM A TRANSMISSION FEEDER DUE TO UNKNOWN CAUSES.

#### SENSITIVE INFORMATION

INCIDENT DETAILS

Package: N/A Building ID:

Type of Fixed Object: POWER PLANT Power Generating Facility: YES

Generating Capacity:

Type of Fuel:

NPDES:

NPDES Compliance: UNKNOWN

---WATER INFORMATION---

Body of Water: NEWTOWN CREEK

Tributary of:

Nearest River Mile Marker: Water Supply Contaminated: NO

IMPACT

Fire Involved: NO Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: NO Hospitalized: Empl/Crew: Passenger: FATALITIES: NO Empl/Crew: Passenger: Occupant:

EVACUATIONS: NO Who Evacuated: Radius/Area:

Damages: NO

Hours Direction of

<u>Closure Type</u> <u>Description of Closure</u> <u>Closed</u> <u>Closure</u>

Air: N

Road: N Major Art N

Waterway: N

Track: N

Passengers Transferred: UNKNOWN
Environmental Impact: UNKNOWN

Media Interest: NONE Community Impact due to Material: NO

REPORTING PARTY

Type of Organization: PUBLIC UTILITY

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTY

Name: KEVIN MCARDLE Organization: CON EDISON

Address: 128 WEST END AVENUE

NEW YORK, NY 10023

PRIMARY Phone: (212)5806763
Type of Organization: PUBLIC UTILITY

BOATS DEPLOYED

Release Secured: UNKNOWN

Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

WEATHER

REMEDIAL ACTIONS

Weather: SUNNY, \*F

ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal: State/Local:

State/Local On Scene: State Agency Number:

NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

ATLANTIC STRIKE TEAM (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:40 (609)7240008 DUTY OFFICER

ATSDR NY (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:39 (212)6374307

EPA OERR (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:42 (703)9675012 MS. POLLARD

U.S. EPA II (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:43 (732)3214370 MR. GLENN

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:40 (800)6347084 DUTY OFFICER

NOAA 1ST CLASS BB RPTS FOR NY (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:39 (206)5266344

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER HQ (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:43 (202)2672100 PO RATHBUN

BUREAU TOXIC SUBSTANCE R. WILBURN (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:39 (518)4027810

ACTIVITIES NEW YORK (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:43 (718)3544121 PO JANSSEN

NY STATE DEC SPILL HOTLINE (PRIMARY)

15-APR-04 13:39 (518)4577362

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

CALLER WILL NOTIFY NY DEC, NY DEP. CALLER STATED 5100 GALLONS OF MATERIAL IS MISSING.

\*\*\* END INCIDENT REPORT # 718919 \*\*\*

Report any problems or Fax number changes by calling 1-800-424-8802

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